

# LOSS PREVENTION BULLETINS

## Loss prevention bulletin index

Since early 1997, maritime incidents and their consequences, changes in shipping legislation and regulation, accounts of actions by official bodies and a plethora of dubious practices have been laid before members of the UK P&I Club in weekly email bulletins.

In the past decade, bulletin readers have heard about pollution fines in Turkey, yellow fever certificates in Brazil, a pilot's strike in St. Petersburg, the illegal export of logs from Indonesia, cargo shortage claims from Algeria, fraudulent claims for services in the Suez Canal and the explosion of a fireworks cargo in China.

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